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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed June 18, 2002, Applicant elects the invention of Group I (claims 1-5, 9-14 and 16-19) drawn to a carrier head. The election is made without traverse.

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